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(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

Hiroaki YUKAWA

Application No.: 09/801,343

Group Art Unit: 2655

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For: OPTICAL PICKUP DEVICE AND OPTICAL  
DISC DEVICE

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION  
REQUIREMENT/FIRST PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

**MS NON-FEE AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

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**SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS**

**SPECIFICATION**

  X   There are no amendments to the specification.

       Marked up replacement(s) paragraphs are presented in a separate section.

**CLAIMS**

       There are no amendments to the claims.

  X   A complete listing of all claims ever present in this case in  
ascending order with status identifier is presented in a separate section.